

AN ODE

To The Memory of a Departed Friend.

Days, months, and years have passed away
Since thy dear form held its sway
How often I visit the old home place
Where I have been greeted by thy sweet face
Often in the family room in your accustomed place
I have gazed upon a younger face,
And now I can safely agree with you
I will never give an old friend for a new.

Even down in the old dining place
Where we have sat so often face to face,
Enjoying the good things of life
Prepared by your own hands, a most noble housewife,
Even out on the little side porch a lovely vine
Where thy own fingers taught it to twine.
How lonely I feel, when it I view
And then I remember never to give an old friend for a new.

Just as the rose slips the dew
So I think the fond memories of you,
Though your seraph like spirit has gone to dwell
In immortal glory, that no longer can tell
Welcomed by those who have gone before
Many whom you have mingled with in days of yore
Relieved from care and sorrow by a Savior so true,
Saying as you met his embrace, never give an old friend
for a new.

Thy words and deeds still live here
A living monument o'er which we shed a tear
Doing acts of kindness, both to rich and poor
Your kind advice I can never ignore
But dear friend my loss has been your gain,
Yet some golden day I hope to meet thee again
God grant it may be never to say adieu
For I have never given up an old friend for a new.

MRS. J. A. McGUIRE.

CUBAN SIGHTS AND SCENES.

PINAR DEL RIO, CUBA, March 20, 1899.

TO THE BACKBONE NEWS.—For the sake of those who may wish to seek their fortune on the island of Cuba, we endeavor to write just a few lines.

As you all know a soldier has very little time for this sort of work and, therefore, you will not expect everything to be in detail.

The most important industry of the island is farming. Instead of the improved implements, which the Americans would be lost without, the Cubans have a rude sort of plow and a short handle hoe. The plow is indeed a curiosity. The stock and handle are one piece of wood. The stock being the hind and the handle the head of a tree. The branch is turned down so as to make a good handle and the body, which is only about a foot and a half long, is turned so as to run parallel to the ground. It has a piece of iron fixed over the end to protect the point from the rocks. The beam is nothing more than a long pole mortised into the handle near the stock and is as long as an ordinary wagon tongue. The hoe is made something like the American hoe, but the handle is never more than three feet in length.

Instead of the big fine horses and mules to work they have oxen, which do all plowing, hauling and such like that is to be done. Their yokes, instead of being fastened with a boy's head as was against the shoulder, are fastened to the top of the head by rope around the horns. To the American this seems to be a very curious way to yoke them up, because they have no way at all to protect themselves against the insects which bother them.

Nearly everything is planted in large ridges or hills. Even tobacco, which is the most important crop, is planted in small ridges.

The tobacco is small, but has a very fine fiber. One reason for its being small is, they grow two or three crops on the same piece of ground the same year. Every farmer has his little banana grove and two or three coconut trees near his house. Sweet potatoes, onions and, to some extent, almost every tropical fruit that can be named are raised.

As for cultivation the Cubans do very little. They just plant their crops, keep the largest weeds out and trust to the rest. If an American could only stand the climate during the rainy season, get a good farm and cultivate it as he would a farm in the States it is a pretty sure thing that he would soon be an independent man. The soil is good and all it needs to make it bring good results is to have some one to work it that knows something about it.

The crops are either taken to market on large, awkward looking carts drawn by oxen, or on pack trains. The carts are large and roughly built; but it is astonishing what loads can be hauled upon them. The wheels are from six to eight feet in diameter and the beds are a great deal larger than the ordinary wagon beds. These beds are filled with whatever they happen to be hauling and if one yoke of oxen can't pull it they hitch in two or three. The carts are hitched close to the load, just as we do, excepting the lead yoke which is sometimes hitched fifty feet in advance of the other. This is done so when going over the low ridges when the cart gets to the steep part of the hill the ad-

vanced yoke will be over the hill far enough to get a good foot hold. The oxen are driven with long rods with a tusk in one end, rather than the whip.

Carts are used on good roads and where the distance is not too great; but where there is any mountains to go over or the distance is very great they use the mule trains. These little "robbers," as they would be called in America, can carry some tremendous loads. There is generally one mule in the bunch that can be trusted as a leader. On him placed a bell and when he starts all follow in his trail. If there happens to be some in the train that do not want to follow their leader then it is tied to their feet leaders tail and then it is a case of how to get or stop the whole train.

The pack trains are indispensable on account of the people of the interior getting their goods to and from market. The railroads are "few and far between" both in number and in quality. It is a very hard matter to find a Cuban-seated coach and when you do if you want to ride in it you only have to pay about ten cents per mile to do so.

Then after finding a coach that is half way comfortable, if you don't mind the train will be a mixed one of freight and passengers.

Lumber in Cuba is very scarce. On the mountains ebony, mahogany and rosewood are to be found; but on the plains the royal palm is the only tree of any importance. These trees are indispensable. From the body the natives get their timber for different purposes. From the leaves they get the covering for their houses. From the fruit they get the meat for their hogs, and from that part of the tree under the tender bark they get a substance on which the natives themselves can live. Nearly all the country houses and barns are built of palm leaves, with the sides weatherboarded with the bark from the same tree. All the towns and some few country houses are built of brick, plastered inside and out. They have to be plastered outside to protect them from the beating rains. The roofing is all tiled and a person that has never seen it has no idea what a beautiful sight it is to get on an elevated place and look over the roofs of the houses of a small town. Nearly all the houses in town are built with an inner court, which is nearly always lined with some of the prettiest tropical flowers that can be found.

There is just a few streets in any town that are parallel, and a still fewer number that are straight for a greater distance than a hundred yards. Good roads are very few, but if they were worked upon by the proper kind of people they could soon be made as good as the roads in any country. To prove that the roads can be made good there are a few government roads which are as good as can be found anywhere.

The strata in the mountains lay at an angle of about forty-five degrees. It is very easy to ascend them if you go up from the right side, but if you try to ascend from the opposite side it is almost impossible. It is a beautiful sight to get on these mountains and look out over the rolling plains, which stretch far beyond the view of the naked eye. Some of the prettiest scenery that is to be found anywhere is in the foot-hills of these mountains.

The people are hard to fool on goods of any kind and if an American wants to do business in this country he had better learn the value of their money or they will cheat him out of everything he has. They have a very peculiar looking coat they wear, which looks more like a shirt from the front than it does like a coat. Hats for women are very hard to find because they rarely ever wear them except when out driving.

Let me say in conclusion, if any of my friends wish to come to this country they must let strong drink alone, and eat very little fruit with the exception of oranges, which are prescribed by the doctors to be as healthy as any thing that can be found on the island.

Very Respectfully,
G. L. BARKLEY.
Co. K, 3rd U. S. V. Eng.

I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have used all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found one remedy that had been a success as a cure, and that is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.—P. E. Graham, Galesburg, Mo. La. For sale by A. B. Fisher, Cleveland; R. A. Shellman, Stephentown.

Japan to Be Christianized.

A Hamburg paper prints a dispatch from its Tokio correspondent, which says that the Japanese Government is considering the wholesale Christianizing of Japan, making Christianity the official religion. The reason alleged is a belief in the move would help Japanese progress.

SAVED BY A LIE.

MILLS & BANGS were in a bad way. Stein & Son had built a big, new mill and fitted it out with the very latest pattern of machinery a year before, and they were producing wickets for 20 per cent. less than Mills & Bangs. "Shoddy," so the salesmen of the old firm told the trade, but the trade wanted low-priced goods to sell at a profit.

"We don't want stuff that will wear forever," said the trade. "Give us something that looks good, and when it wears out it will get back to you through the ragmen, and you can grind it up again and mix some new wool and a good deal of cotton with it. Weave it into new designs and we'll sell it again for you."

Mills & Bangs didn't want to do this. In the first place, Bangs was superintendent of a Sunday-school and had very strict notions about the amount of shoddy that should go into worn-out clothes which his name was put. Besides, the machinery in their mill was old-fashioned and slow, and required half as many men of men and women and boys as the more modern plant of Stein & Son.

So things grew worse and worse with the old firm. They ran full time till they were hopelessly overstocked. They laid off help they cut wages, and then ran first on two-thirds and then on half-time. The reserve capital of the firm was used up; the bank balance was drawn down to a few thousand dollars; and reports from salesmen in the West and South were as bad as possible.

Then Mills and Bangs held an executive session and John Mills stated the condition of affairs to his partner very plainly.

"We have got pretty near to the end of our rope, Henry, unless we can raise a hundred thousand dollars at once with which to put in new machinery we're done for. How can we raise it?"

Henry Bangs knew about as much how to raise \$100,000 as he did how to raise the dead, and he said so.

"If I had any excuse to go to our banks—but it's no use," said Mills. "They know we are weak, and I don't believe they'd let us have \$100,000 on our paper. We can unload the stock on hand at a sacrifice and raise a few thousands—just enough to prolong the agony."

When John Mills went home that night he lied to his wife, and she knew it.

"You look worried, John," she said to him after dinner, and when the children had gone to bed. "Is it business?"

"No, dear, business is looking up every day. Reports from the West and South are fine. Stein & Co. can hardly give their stuff away. They are losing money today on every yard of cloth they make."

And John Mills excused this to himself by saying that it was enough for one of the family to worry, and that a knowledge of the true state of affairs could do no possible good.

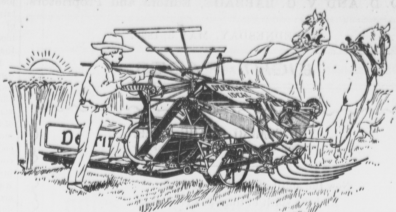
But the little wife did not think so, and she did worry. She knew what was needed at the mill, and she knew that it would take a great deal of money to do it. She knew that the banks had plenty of money, and that if they were sure of repayment they would be very glad to loan it. She knew, too, that if the business of the firm was prosperous that their simple notes would be sufficient.

It was late the next afternoon when an idea came to her. It was startling, audacious, and with a mammoth lie for its foundation. But why not lie if it were for his good and would do no harm? He had lied to her for her good, so he thought, and now she would lie to him for his good—for their mutual good.

When John Mills came home that

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J. W. PATE, : McQuady, Ky.

Slight, more tired, worn and discouraged than ever before, his wife met him, radiant with happy excitement. She went with him into his study and shut the door. Taking his hand in hers and sitting near him she said:

"John, I have some good news for you. You remember that I told you once about that mine in Idaho that father and Uncle Joshua bought and that never panned out? Well, I had a letter from Uncle Joshua this morning, and he has sold the mine to an English syndicate for \$80,000. It seems that they struck the vein about a year ago, and some Englishmen got wind of it and formed a company to buy it. The trade has just been made, and my share is over \$300,000. I am to have the first \$100,000 in about two months and the balance inside of the year. Uncle Joshua says the entire purchase price is guaranteed by the Rothschilds, and that the first \$100,000 has already been paid to him, but that he has been obliged to use the most of it to clear off some mortgages and pay the commission and expenses of the sale."

The future was clear to John Mills now. Three hundred thousand dollars, even in prospect, gave a man great moral courage. He would go the banks to-morrow and tell them he wanted \$100,000, and that his wife, who had just come into a fortune, would call on the firm's note; that he wanted to put in new machinery, get rid of all his old stock, send out his salesmen with new samples at hand, and knock everlasting spots out of Stein & Son.

And it being true that all finance is based on confidence, and as Mr. John Mills looked and acted the millionaire that morning when he called on the president of his two banks, it was just forty-eight hours when he had to his credit \$100,000, less four months' interest, and in less than forty-eight hours thereafter he had placed the orders for new machinery, had set his sample looms at work on new designs, and had arranged to unload the stock on hand at prices to shock and disgust Stein & Co.

When those notes came due \$85,000 was paid on them, and the banks were loath to take it, as the preferred full \$100,000 of such A1 paper. In less than a year the whole \$100,000 was wiped out, and Mills & Co. were laying the foundation for a new mill twice as large as the old.

But that lie of the little wife! Well, she had to tell her husband, but not until the mill was running full time with the new machinery and the day after she received this letter:

From John Brown to Mrs. John Mills:
SAN FRANCISCO, May 28, 1896.

My Dear Jennie—I have sold that old mine your father and I bought together so many years ago. I've had to take notes for it, but I'll send you the cash. As you come due I'll send you the cash. You'll get about \$34,000 out of it, as well as also.

Yours truly,
JOHN A. BROWN.

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PRETTY
AS PICTURES



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THE COMING OF THE GREEN.

(Dedicated to my friend James Barrett Fisher.)

Now the spirit of the flood is awake,
And the spirit of the wood is stirred,
And the spirit of the air is beautiful and fair,
And so is the song of the bird.

And there comes a whisper of the spring,
And its footfall is light on the lea,
And it comes from the South, with a jewel in its mouth,
And it brings a blessing to me.

And the bare bough is rustling with leaves,
And the dark earth is glistening with gold,
And the land is all green with the coming of the green,
And the new world is born of the old.

And it is not the work of a man,
Who plies his task here and there;
Not in single bud and flower, but universal power,
It comes, mighty Spirit, everywhere.

And the dogwood is snowy in the brake,
And the red bird is singing upon high,
And the young things are sprouting, and the young
children shouting,
And the old trees awake in the eye.

For earth was a Paradise once,
And life all a jubilee then,
But the glory once seen in the coming of the green
Departs when we come to be men.

For sweet is the lily in the bed
And sweet is the flower on the wall,
But sweeter the tear and the pity of the dead
For the old things are the sweetest of all.

April 23, 99. E. G.

CAPTAIN Coglian's guilt consisted in speaking not wisely, but too well.

When it comes to organizing a plow trust they are running the thing into the ground.

It is still in style for the moths to appear in winter clothes during the summer season.

Watts Washington pronounced war a plague, he must have had the Philippine variety in mind.

A GREAT many women complain about their servants just to let people know they can afford to keep them.

ALICE says he is willing to be United States but will make no scramble for it. We are glad of this. He is a bad egg.

The old adage "put not your trust in riches" seems to have been amended and it is now in order to put your riches in trusts.

It is true that "matches are made only in heaven" the demand for divorce would indicate that they are made light of on earth.

Sam Jones has located the Devil in Louisville. As Sam is an authority on the subject this proves that the Havesville Clarion was wrong in locating hell at Cloverport.

It is thought that Alger will retire from the cabinet and Goebel will withdraw from the gubernatorial race—the wish of the people, by the way, is father to the thought.

A BOSTON man was here last week making preparations to locate a tanning factory. After it is up, however, the people will continue to discipline their children in the good old way.

TOBACCO growers present the prospect that the crop of this year will be greater this year than ever before. As Tobacco is a part of "great Cloverport," it stands all in hands to sing the doxology.

PEOPLE who are worried by the predictions that the world is soon to come to an end should quiet the fears in the language of the colored philosopher, Aleck Lennie, "How can de world have an end when it's round?"

PRESIDENT Kruger says that the Transvaal is the greatest gold producing country on earth. Don Paul had better look in "needle and" as England has a penchant for benevolently assimilating that kind of property.

HAVESVILLE has the meanest man on earth. His two daughters are quite popular with the beaux of the town. The old gentleman has placed a muzzle in the parlor that is timed to play "Home Sweet Home" every night at 10 o'clock.

BECKENRIDGE county negroes seem to be so hard to kill as the cat with the proverbial nine lives. Last week one was stabbed in a vital place, two were crushed by tons of gravel coming in on them and one was mangled between the draw heads of two cars. Still they live. No wonder the race problem is a hard one to solve.

pastor of the Methodist church there that the seeds of infidelity had been sown years ago, in the minds of the people. Mr. Williams' contention is maintained in a little of the Baptist history of this section as contained in the biography of Wm. Downs, a preacher of that denomination:

About 1820 Mr. Downs moved to Ohio county and again joined the united Baptist. Here an opportunity was soon afforded for the display of his controversial power. A universal preacher of the name of Mann, had been for some months preaching at Havesville in Hancock county. At the close of each discourse he challenged his audience to furnish an orthodox preacher to debate with him. Finally a gentleman present accepted the challenge. The terms of debate were agreed on and the time appointed for it to commence. Punctual to the time Mr. Mann, who was a very handsome man and dressed very elegantly made his appearance. Mr. Downs had torn out the suit of clothes which the Hon. Ben Hardin had given him and was now clad extremely shabbily. He had on a pair of coarse, short-towelled pantaloons and an old wool hat with a piece of leather sewed in the crown and a pair of coarse cow skin shoes without socks. He and Mr. Mann were formally introduced. The latter expressed his astonishment and disgust by asking the question, "Is this the man you have brought here to debate with me?" Mr. Downs replied promptly, "Never mind, I am only fit to do the dirty work of the church." The debate proceeded. The universalist plot in debate with the old experienced controversialist was as a pigmy in the hands of a giant. Mr. Downs played with him as a cat plays with a wounded mouse. At the close of each argument presented with irresistible force, he quoted from Paul, leaving out the word "every," "Let God be true and man (Mann) a liar." At the close of the debate the crafty universalist beat a hasty retreat and was never afterwards seen in Havesville. Wm. Downs was fond of controversy and engaged in several debates. His exceeding familiarity with the scriptures, his ready wit, keen sarcasm and brilliant oratory attracted the attention and won the admiration of the most intelligent and refined people. If Ben Hardin, one of the leading lawyers and statesmen of Kentucky greatly admired Mr. Downs oratory and embraced every opportunity to hear him preach.

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CURRENT TOPICS.

Mrs. HATTIE R. GUNNELL. We all, as true Kentuckians, are proud of that monument erected by our State in memory of her sons who fought and fell on the field of Chickamauga.

Prof. KACH, the celebrated bacteriologist, has come to the conclusion that mosquitoes communicate malaria, and that some of these pests human beings are free from malaria.

Brandenburg is a regular resort for the fabled trout to rest his weary feet. A bonny boy he deposited at Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Richardson's, while a precious pink white girl baby was left at Ed. S. Alexander's.

Young E. Allison is giving the readers of the Louisville Courier some magnificent articles on novel reading. All of us who have read "Scottish Chiefs" can realize his intense feelings when Wallace called Helen Maxwell to his breast.

Derby Day at Churchill Downs promises to be an open one. All eyes in the region are turned to Louisville just now. Just how many stars will be in the flag is not known. Just how favorable it will win the coveted prize is hidden from the wisest. But the candidates for the classic racing event are all on the Henry Navarre order when it comes to a handsome, royally bred career.

W. D. Howells in his beautiful artistic verse on the "Willough of poetry" tells us the love for it is declining. He says it appears to the young, to sensitive nerves, that the old do not respond so readily. May be so, but who once were impressed by Byron, Emerson, Hawthorne, Tennyson, Whitman, Longfellow do not feel old as we recall those lines memorial and analyzed. Poetry is not evanescent.

We have seen it proven so often in the last few years that change of climate does not bring back shattered health in the case of pulmonary trouble. Courtney Duncan and Orelia Gregory just very lately were both taken to Adairville hoping for restoration but alas, alas, their lives have passed the cold waters. Let us hope the maintenance in the Adairville and those hospitals for isolation of patients in Chicago may do something for this fatal dread malady that steals upon us so insidiously with scarcely any hope of relief.

The Arabians consider an arched foot mark of beauty, and one under whose foot water would not flow was regarded as degenerated. We have often been told that the spirit falls with the arch of the foot. We have come to the conclusion that a flat-footed shoe is an inferior one, perhaps, but the foot signs fall like all others. Like phonology. Some with no hope of no bump of combative as we are full of it. In others it is abnormally developed and still the sign falls. Self love is so great in some folks that we daily expect to hear them de-

clare themselves infallible and still the bump don't show up.

Summer schools are becoming an important factor in education. They increase in number and popularity every year. Teachers and even clergymen and others enjoy a portion of their time earned vacation in studying new subjects. The reason is evident. They realize that the truest rest is not that of torpor of idleness, but is rather to be sought in variety of interest or aims. I have a friend who writes of a summer course in prospect where teaching in conduct on somewhat different lines than usual. It draws its faculty not from one university, but from the ablest men in each branch wherever they may be located. It has lecturers from Harvard, Yale, Hopkins, Princeton, etc. Each lecturer is a specialist. In history the Society has planned courses to cover a cycle of years. This year's lectures will be given upon the literature, history, philosophy, religion, education and architecture of the middle ages. In psychology, besides lectures and demonstrations, a young lady from Boston will lecture on Kindergarten music comes in for its share of attention in regular class departments. What a treat and how one longs to go higher.

There are a great many mysteries in this world of ours. The Court of Inquiry proved no doubt that it was caused by subterranean mines, but how those explosive substances were ever located under those waters and by whom will remain a mystery. It certainly took a force to do it, it certainly required some consultations, some manipulation, much forethought. Why hasn't something been divulged? Why hasn't a word been dropped to lead to some definite conclusion? Another mystery is how a prominent man belonging to an illustrious family cannot be depended on. The killing occurred in a quiet large city where pedestrians and equestrians are supposed to be circulating. I presume at this one particular hour—Mystery No. 3—was when even if a woman is pronounced guilty of man slaughter, but is known and acknowledged to be guilty of violating the most sacred rule of society. Why I ask, would she be congratulated, hand-shaken, have flowers sent her and be invited to spend a season at the sea shore? Has she been brought to justice to her children and here it? Just a few weeks ago in a sister to us, too, when this tragedy occurred, north of the Ohio a prominent young girl was always in the home of her aged grandmother at Mundie to the capital city. In her trouble, in her trial, she was dismissed from the court and repatriated and sent as a Cain for the rest of her days. Back to the home of her heart-broken grandmother to spend her life an alien from the parents she yet so dearly loved. "I'll, perhaps," "One more unfortunate really important case arose in what she hopes is oblivion. Forgive your ignorance every time, to one who has been vainly flitting and conceit brought ruin and desecration to a home.

If I am talking with a Democrat he invariably says: "I am convinced that we will sweep the country in 1900." I always add: "Yes, my affiliations are all Democratic, and I hope so, too, in referring to questions of expediency, they frame a platform of not too extreme views on leading national issues. Then when I turn to a Republican friend, he exclaims: "Why, we are in power for the next four years after this administration, and McKinley will succeed himself." "Yes," I reply; "but the mistakes of your present administration is an arraignment of the Republican party for its failure to do what it professes to do. The brilliant exploits of Admiral Dewey are appreciated, but the retention of these islands and the possible benefits that may accrue they think will not offset the sacrifices involved. Again, we find as many who favor this grave question, actually affecting the welfare of the whole people. I have two very talented friends, one an expansionist, the other an anti-expansionist; one a minimalist, the other a "sound money" man. "Reform of the currency," says one, "is absolutely essential to the stability of our finances." With the other the plea is that "credit

In Pan?

In the Back? Then probably the kidneys.
In the Throat? Then probably the lungs.
In the Joints? Then probably rheumatism.
No matter where it is, no what kind; you need it no longer. It may be an hour, a day, or a year old; it must yield to Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plaster.

Immediately after applying it you feel its soothing, warming, strengthening power. It cures coughs; draws out inflammation. It is a new plaster.

A new combination of new remedies. Made after new methods. Entirely unlike any other plaster. The Triumph of Modern Medical Science. The Perfected Product of years of Patient Toil. Place over the chest it is a powerful aid to Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the treatment of colds, coughs and lung affections. Placed over the stomach, it stops nausea and vomiting; over the bowels, it controls cramps and colic. Place over the throat, it draws out inflammation. It removes all congestion from the windpipes and greatly strengthens the voice.

For sale by all Druggists. Beware of cheap imitations. Should rest upon gold for final redemption. I tell each that just such conflicts will wage to the end of time. Since the days of Father Abraham there have been recurring conflicts between those advocating this form of money and that. Always to me politics has had a fascination. My father, with a vital interest in all political questions, and to me he always talked and discussed each issue. He read to me, or had me read to him; with a manner, many years ago by said: "After I've read and gone this financial question will stir up this old country of ours to its centre." He was a true prophet.

Volcanic Eruptions. Are grand, but Skin Eruptions rob life of joy. Buckner's Arica Salve cures all. It cures Old, Running and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, Warts, Cuts Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chillsblisters, Bess Fleas cure on earth. Drive out Fleas and Aches. Only 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Short & Haynes, Druggists.

HARRY BELL SPEAKS. Our primary was held last Saturday and everything went off smoothly and all right. Mr. Allan Smith was nominated as the people's choice to represent the Democratic party, notwithstanding the rumor that got afloat that "Boodie" was furnished. Mr. Smith by gold bugs, syndicates, corporations, trusts, etc., which was false, as I am in a situation to know what I am talking about. There was only one gold bug vote cast (that I know of) for Smith at this precinct and he got in by having voted for Bryan, the one who voted the Palmer and Buckner ticket made no attempt to vote except by the aid of Smith at this precinct and they refused a vote. I have discussed politics with Mr. Smith ever since Bryan's nomination in '96 and he is as good as a "Chicago platform" man as he is in Meade county and the people need not entertain no fears as to his being led off in the interest of trusts, corporations, syndicates, monopolies, etc. While I don't agree with his financial policy there are more important questions that the Democratic party does stand for that I do most heartily endorse.

H. L. BELL. Mr. T. H. for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed to locate bald cure, make weak men strong, blood pure. No. 31, All drugs.

WE'VE GOT 'EM!

And we want you to see 'em. What? Why the largest and best line of goods for the approaching WARM SEASON that was ever shown in Cloverport, and we fear no contradiction when we claim that our prices are the very lowest.

 <p>White ribbed cotton vests low neck and sleeveless only</p> <p>5c</p>	 <p>Cream color gauze shirts sizes 34 to 44, only</p> <p>23c</p>
 <p>Brown Ribbed Shirts or Drawers well-made and form fitting, sizes 34 to 44</p> <p>25c</p>	 <p>Balbriggan shirts with ribbed tails, ribbed waist, drawers to match, silk taped and pearl buttons, all sizes</p> <p>48c</p>
 <p>Splendid gauze Richelieu ribbed cotton vests, low neck sleeveless and taped, only</p> <p>10c</p>	 <p>Brown cotton drawers, with knit bottoms only</p> <p>25c</p>
 <p>Men's soft Neglige shirts, link cuffs to match or attached collars, 20 styles to select from, sizes 14 to 17 at the lowest price</p> <p>48c</p>	 <p>Men's Madras soft shirts, link cuffs to match, or attached collars, good variety,</p> <p>75c</p>

Ladies do you want to see something new in parasols and at prices so low that you will want one at once. Come to us. WE'VE GOT 'EM.

FREE! Handsome premiums to purchasers of \$10, \$12 and \$15. Ask to see them and demand coupons.

THE FAIR.

A SIMPLE REMINDER

Of the fact that we have a full line of summer goods.

SILK GOODS, SUMMER DRESS GOODS, For Shirt Waists, Nobby Patterns. WOOLEN GOODS, BRUSH BRAID, Very Stylish, Velvet and Corduroy Skirt lining.

Umbrellas, Ladies and Men's Shoes.

Scotch Lawn, Dress Linen, India Linens, Viola Colors, Colored and White Scrim, New Shade of Blue in Percales, Red Organdies, Red Lawns, New silk for Dress Linings, Percale Dress Linings—doubled faced for summer dresses in Black and Grey, Marcelline Goods—a beautiful line; Outing Cloth, Figue, Batiste Cloth.

ORGANDIES, prettiest line you ever saw 10 to 20c per Yard.

Imperial Dotted Swiss Muller, deliciously cool and dainty 14c Per Yard.

STRAW HATS, PARASOLS FANS.

LINEN HATS 35c A SPECIAL BARGAIN.

Brown Linen for men's and boy's outing trousers. Men's Linen Pants 85c, Boys Linen Pants 75c. Watches guaranteed for twelve months. We want you to understand that we carry a more complete and up-to-date stock of dress and summer goods than any country store in the county. The bargains we offer are the results of a cash business. We exchange goods for wool.

W. E. BROWN'S, Irvington, Kentucky.

Ladies, It's Your Turn. We have devoted space to Men's Wear and we will now tell you of the bargains we have for the fair sex.

<p>Crash Skirts 25c Each.</p>	<p>LADIES' Lace Ties From 25c to \$1.00.</p>	<p>FANS IN ENDLESS VARIETY.</p>
<p>Nice line of Linen Skirts; Skirt Waists in the latest and most stylish patterns, white and colors, cool and bewitching. Your choice of material. Belt Clips in French Grey Silks and rose gold finish—the latest and most beautiful design.</p>		
<p>Men's Linen Shirts \$2.50 Wonderful Bargain</p>		
<p>W. C. MOORMAN, GLENDEANE, - KENTUCKY.</p>		

THE REASONS WHY

The International Tailoring Company Chicago

Clothe more of the swell dressers of the country than any other tailoring house are these: They are the Leading tailors on the continent; they make all garments strictly to order; their assortment is the largest, choicest and most complete; they can fit any man of any size or shape; their styles are the latest and most striking; their qualities the best; their prices the lowest. Years of experience have demonstrated their ability to satisfy—the best proof of which is their steadily increasing trade. Just drop in for a few minutes today and investigate the special inducements even if you are not ready to buy now.

You will find Fashion Plates and Samples of this great concern at our store.

A Strong Fortification.
Fortify the body against disease by Turt's Liver Pills, an absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, jaundice, biliousness and all kindred troubles.

The Fly-Wheel of Life.
Dr. Turt; your Liver Pills are the fly-wheel of life. I shall ever be grateful for the accident that brought them to my notice. I feel as if I had a new lease of life.

J. Fairleigh, Platte Cannon, Col.
Turt's Liver Pills

BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1899

CARDS OF THANKS over five lines charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line.
OUTRAGED charged for at the rate of 5 cents per line.
MONEY IN ADVANCE.

THE LOCAL NEWS IN CLOVERPORT.

Fresh bread at Sipples.
Best Buckles at Sipples.
Circus will be here Friday.
Homestead fertilizers at the best.
Go to Sipples for Hiett's pickles.
The river is falling quite rapidly.
Vegetables and fruits at Sipples.
Folk's apple vinegar—Short & Haynes.
Will Hille went to Havesville Sunday.
Shad, Yachet, Eastland, is quite sick.
Pompadour and side comb at Sipples.
Sam Keith went to Owensboro Saturday.
Go to Sipples for ice cream and sherbert.

Parasols—the latest Parisian styles—at Sipples.
Dr. F. T. Hafferty was at Stephensport Sunday.

Best and purest fruit flavoring extracts at Sipples.
Joe Hayes, of Havesville, was in town Monday.
See our line of hair brushes—Short & Haynes.

John Burk came down from Owensboro Monday.
Sheriff V. B. Burton, was in the city Saturday.
Splendid selection of Tam O'Shanter at Sipples.

Make your headquarters at Sipples on circus day.
The circus will be here Friday.

George Weatherholt went to Rome, Ind., Sunday.
T. J. Miller, Pateville, was in the city Saturday.

Sam Bruner, of Henderson, was in the city Saturday.
Yat Masterson was in Stephensport a few days last week.

Wm B. Blaine, Pateville, was here on business Saturday.
Eugene Haynes went to Owensboro on business.

Sheriff V. B. Burton, Hardinsburg, was in town Saturday.
Crash and straw hats at the very lowest prices at Sipples.

Mrs. Frank Hall is visiting relatives at Louisville and Webster.
Miss Allene Murray was at Hardinsburg visiting Thursday.

Dr. Hafferty was at Addison, Saturday, on professional business.
Fresh light bread—best in the market—at Gregory & Gibson's.

Rev. Father Henderson, Cannelton, is the guest of Father Brier.
Miss Florence Lewis is able to resume her position at "The Fair."

The best staple and fancy groceries at the lowest prices—Sipples.
Hardin Kinder, of Skillman, has moved his family to this city.

Col. David R. Murray was in Louisville Thursday on legal business.
Rev. T. V. Joiner held his regular services at Holt's Chapel Sunday.

Lewis Powers, of Havesville, was in the city Friday night on business.
Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Bab, of Hardinsburg, were in the city Friday.

Joe Tom Mattingly, Irvington, spent Sunday with his parents in the city.
Spence Sewing Machine Oil including can only to cents—Short & Haynes.

Gregory & Co. sell Homestead fertilizer to cash customers only, at \$27.00 per ton.
Miss Laura Yeager is improving quite rapidly. She was able to be out last week.

Frank Mercer, Louisville, was in the city yesterday on business.
Miss Minnie Murray, Hardinsburg, was in the city yesterday, visiting.

Mrs. John Allen Murray and son, John Allen, were in Louisville last week.
New Wall Paper, 5 cents per roll and 10 cents paper at 3 cents. T. F. Sawyer.

Ben Ridgway, the engineer is leaving on account of being under the weather.
June Gale, Owensboro, candidate for Auditor of State, was in the city Friday and Saturday.

Forrest Hayes was in the city Sunday. He has been working up river points all week.
Miss Della Bart accompanied by Master Harold Gregory, spent Sunday in Cannelton, Ind.

Mrs. Gus Gibson and son Elijah, returned Sunday night from a visit to friends at Holt.
Joe Sipples will have a fruit, confectionary, lemonade and lunch stand at the circus grounds.

The Katie struck town Thursday night and the railroad men were made happy by being paid off.

Clint Addison, of Irvington, was in the city Sunday the guest of his brother, Dr. R. B. Addison.

A. C. Hall and Miss Mary Ryan visited at Mrs. Wm. Lewis at the Smith Hotel, Stephensport, Sunday.

Roland Smith accompanied by his little nephew, Jerry Hunter Lennin, were in the city Friday.

Miss Stella Weatherholt is in Louisville to spend several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Marion Ryan.

John Morris Gregory and Alvin Wilkerson attended the Christian services at Stephensport Sunday.

Miss Olivia Fallon has returned from a four weeks' visit with friends at Big City and Elizabethtown.

Elegant new line of Oxford and a splendid line of Douglas shoes for men on new hats at Sipples.

For your lunch on circus day go to Gregory & Gibson's, where you can get the best for the least money.

Before or after you see the elephant circus, go to C. L. Knight's gallery and have your pictures taken.

Miss Ida Dowie, of Kirk, who has been visiting relatives at Pe'ville, Hancock county has returned home.

Ed Kelley and Miss Lucile Stewart, Havesville, were in the city Sunday, the guests of the Misses Bowmer.

Mrs. Thomas Kibler went to Owensboro Sunday and was accompanied home by her little nephew, Ural Holder.

One of the most delicious summer drinks is Kola Kola. It is a refreshing nerve tonic for sale at Julius Sipples' soda fountain.

Take advantage of being in town circus day and have your picture taken at Knight's. It will be prettier than the circus parade.

Miss Margaret Skillman went to Oxford, Ohio, Thursday to pay a visit to her college chums. She will be gone for a week or more.

Godfrey Haxwell and wife, Hardinsburg, were in the city Sunday, they took the evening train for Stephensport, where they will visit relatives.

You'll not be younger than you now are and you will never look better. Have your picture taken by your picture while you are young and handsome.

Tandy L. Hart and J. P. Troutman, two of Owensboro's most prominent livery men and horse buyers, were in the city last Wednesday evening on business.

Of course you are going to take your sweetheart to the circus. It won't be fair if you don't take her to C. L. Knight's gallery and have your pictures taken.

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For Derby cars at Louisville the fare from Cloverport to Louisville and return only \$1.50. Tickets will be sold for all trains, good returning on any train May 10th or 11th. On May 11th and 12th, round trip tickets to Louisville will be

sold at the rate of \$2.20 for train leaving Cloverport at 7 a. m. only. Good returning on any train within two days from date of sale.

CHICKEN SALAD.
Speaking of "chickens," said Wick De Haven, at Vest's the other night, "there's no more sagacious folk on earth."

A few years ago a Methodist district conference was to be held at Hardinsburg and it was thought that all the ministers in the country for miles around would be present. Great preparations for their entertainment were being made and the news of the event penetrated to the poultry yards.

A convention was held among the chickens and a few days before the conference took place I was making a trip on the branch. The engineer and myself were paralyzed with astonishment to find the railroad track for miles out of Hardinsburg, lined with chickens of every age and variety. They were migrating in the direction of Gloucestershire where all the peopled Baptists and where they felt they would be safe.

Ed Johnson, who lives on S. T. Elder's place, near Chaucer, has a horse that is a curiosity in its way. It has developed an appetite for chickens and whenever it has an opportunity it dines on the feathered bipeds. It seems to relish chickens more than oats and catches them when they are running about in the yard. It is a very cunning old horse and when it sees some chickens some of the kernels in its feed to tempt the chickens to the place to eat. While they are busy picking up the grains he will suddenly catch one between his teeth and proceed to eat it with great gusto. It cannot be broken of his bad habit.

When a hen takes it into her giddy old head to do something out of the ordinary, she generally succeeds.

Mrs. Richard Carter, who lives near town, has a hen that up to Saturday was distinguished for nothing except her scratching propensities.

The other day the hen determined to do something to entitle her to be written up in the Breckenridge News and thus achieve world wide fame. The easiest way for her to do this was to lay an egg that would be unlike any other egg, and succeed.

Mrs. Carter brought into this office, Saturday, an egg about an inch and a half long that was shaped like a gourd. In reality it was two eggs, the head of the gourd shaped egg being perfectly shaped and about the size of a strawberry.

The egg is on exhibition in the News office.

Deafness Cannot be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous membrane of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever.

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USE TRING
I can't take plain cod-liver oil. Doctor says, try it. He might as well tell me to melt lead or butter and try to take it. It is too rich and will upset the stomach. But you can take milk or cream, so you can take

Scott's Emulsion
It is like cream, but will feed and nourish when cream will not. Babies and children will thrive and grow fat on it when their ordinary food does not nourish them.

Persons have been known to gain a pound a day when taking an ounce of Scott's Emulsion. It gets the digestive machine in working order so that the ordinary food is properly digested and assimilated.

To Whom It May Concern.

Strong words of indorsement for Peruna, and for the manufacturers of Peruna, from prominent officials of its home city.



Hon. Samuel L. Black, Mayor of Columbus, O., whose picture adorns this paragraph, writes the following letter:

EXECUTIVE DEPT., CITY OF COLUMBUS.
To whom it may concern:
I can most cheerfully recommend Peruna as one of the very greatest possible benefits in cases of catarrh and other diseases of the mucous membrane. This remedy has established itself in the minds of the people as one of the greatest possible words and cures. I have known Dr. Hartman for a number of years, and am pleased to say that he is one of the leading citizens of this city, a man of the very highest standing and character in the community.

Respectfully, **SAMUEL L. BLACK.**
Col. Arthur L. Hamilton, commanding officer of the Seventeenth Infantry Ohio National Guard, whose residence is at 309 West First Avenue, Columbus, O., bears witness to the efficiency of Peruna. Here is Colonel Hamilton's letter and picture.

COLUMBUS, O., May 18, 1897.
Dr. S. R. Hartman,
DEAR SIR—Besides having the merits of Peruna as fully demonstrated in my family, I have a number of friends who have taken it for catarrh and trouble, and all with success in curing it. As a remedy for summer and winter catarrh, I can fully recommend it.

ARTHUR L. HAMILTON.
From the Hon. Samuel J. Swartz, Police Judge, Columbus, O.

STATE OF OHIO,
SUPREME COURT LAW LIBRARY,
COLUMBUS, O., NOV. 18, 1897.
Gentlemen—The result of using Peruna has been so gratifying to me that I cannot but congratulate you on the success of your remedy. It is a high standard of business community, and an expert advertisement of this great enterprise, prepared to meet the most generous article only, from your establishment, but its real worth is best demonstrated by its use.

Respectfully, **SAMUEL J. SWARTZ.**

own home talent, her elocution class. My music class will assist.

Beall Grinnell and Annie Bondurant, Henry Nevitt and Virginia Rhodes, Lillian Rhodes and Lena Nevitt formed a party to Meade Springs last Sunday to turkey dinner with Jimmie Lee Woolfolk.

What a delightful time Mrs. R. M. Jolly and Miss Eva Carrigan know are having in Atlanta, Georgia. They are both earnest Christian workers and will enjoy that part of their mission as well as the scenery and social features.

I was amazed to see that K. C. Clark and Mr. Hufferland had been married at Jeffersonville, April 11. K. C. is a sweet bright girl, granddaughter of Mrs. E. W. Wipac, of this place, and niece of Mrs. S. P. Woolfolk. I extend best wishes.

A goodly number from our town will take in Buffalo Bill's show and the races this week. Not much party by rail and boat will enjoy the festival and a sojourn in the city. The doctor's convention and the big Baptist "meet" will have representatives from here.

I saw so many of my old friends at the wedding last week at Buck Grove. I attended the church often when I lived at Garrett, and I have cause to love all these dear good people. From the little spring bird chirped I went other weddings will soon follow within those town homesteads.

The Rev. Humberg, Sandy Hill and Highland Baptist churches will give Brother Davall a donation on Thursday afternoon after the third Sunday in May. Let every one come to the home of the minister and have a pleasant, social time as well as remembering the minister with heartfelt gifts. "The Lord loves a cheerful giver."

Bro. Davall commenced last Sunday to deliver a series of sermons on the parables of Christ which will include about seven sermons, perhaps more. His introductory one was surely most interesting. Bro. Davall is a student all the time and shows close study and concentrated thought in his discourses.

My heart goes out in deepest sympathy to dear Mrs. Dunham in this, the first broken link of her family circle. Courtney was a bright promising young man out down in the very flower of his youth. His mother and family have the sweet consolation of knowing they did all that kindness and love could prompt. Nothing was left undone that could be done to restore him.

A distinct earthquake shock was felt here at 8 o'clock Saturday night. The shock lasted several seconds. No damage outside of rattling windows and shaking houses. I see Prof. May who is authority on seismology, says these shocks are caused by the slipping of some portion of the earth's surface—or this globe contracts. Old "aunt" Martha says, "No, it ain't honey. No, the earth ain't slipping, it is because the people is so wicked the good Lord is warning 'em, honey. Yes he is." Who is right? God rules and God does warn.

Misses Daisy McIntire, Lula Bland, Bessie Fountain, Ten Hamilton, Willie Bland, Gough Grinnell and I attended the Hayes-Willett wedding last Wednesday at Buck Grove. It was a beautiful church wedding. The church was prettily decorated and lighted (ceremony at 4:30 in the afternoon) and was crowded with admiring friends and relatives. Ed A. Cox, of Vine Grove, was best man, Miss Allen Swan was maid of honor, H. D. Hayes and Miss Lela Vertess attended, W. D. Ashcraft and W. L. Willett officiated. The bride wore a lovely cream dress of this material, elaborately trimmed in lace, exquisite flowers in her coiffure and in her hand. Misses Swan and Vertess were handsomely attired. The groom, attendants and ushers were "swell." Tell you, Miss Anna Hayes, of Louisville, was in the bridal party. After luncheon the happy couple left for New York and Niagara Falls.

Found.
At A. R. Fisher, Cloverport; E. A. Wit's, Hardinsburg, drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weakness. It is Foley's Kidney cure.

Noticed the Weather?

Seems as though it is a case of springing from Winter to Summer. The hot weather has created an unusually early demand for

SUMMER GOODS.

We have the following seasonal goods in stock:

Ladies' Stock Collars,

Ladies' Bows, Point d'esprit Ties, New Draw String Ribbons, Torchon, Val, Hamburg and Smyrna Laces, the most delicate and exquisite designs.

In Dress Goods--

Serims, Swiss Mulls, dotted and figured, very pretty; India Linens, a new line; Percales and French Gingham.

In Dress Linings--

Near Silks, Silecias and Percales—all colors and double faced.

In Fine Staples

We have a splendid new line of Toweling and Counterpanes.

We have
An elegant selection in the lines enumerated above and you will be pleased with the variety and the prices—both we guarantee to be all right.

SUIZER'S.

Figures Won't Lie.

If these are not Money Saving Prices we don't know what we are talking about:

Hoosier Cotton, 3c per yd.
18 lbs Granulated Sugar, \$1.00.
2 lbs Soda, 5c.
3 packages Lion Coffee, 25c.
Good Calico, 3c per yd.
Shoes from 50c to \$3.
Good black cotton, 1 yd wide, 4c
Men's and Boys' Straw Hats from 5c to 50c.

I will buy all the WOOL you have to sell and give you the highest market price for it in cash or trade.

Mitch Meyer, Ekron, Ky.

During Court Week

You will want the freshest Vegetables, the most select variety of Canned Goods, the Purest Groceries on the market

Come to
Our store for whatever you want in this line. You will find the goods the best and the prices the lowest.

Eclipse Grocery Store,

HARDINSBURG, KENTUCKY.

The rebellion of savage Africa makes us shudder, and fills us with disgust. Yet we have details of our own, one of them great, widely-spread, and in whose name crimes innumerable are daily perpetrated. The name of that fiend is *Glendane*. To that powerful fiend, thousands of mothers annually make sacrifice of their daughters. For what is it but a sacrifice to the fiend's ignorance to permit girls to blossom to womanhood, and enter the marriage relation without any helpful hint of the obligations of that relation and its physical perils? Just the word which the mother fails to speak would turn the young girl's attention to the danger of irregularity. For it is in the ignorance of the necessity for regularity in the periods that the fiend finds the debilitating drains, the female weakness, bearing-down pains, inflammation and ulceration, and the marriage of joy and motherhood of happiness. That "God-send" for women, known as *Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription*, establishes regularity of the periods, drives up all unhealthy drains, cures female disease, and inflammation and ulceration of the peculiarly feminine organs. Women suffering from diseases peculiarly feminine, may consult Dr. R. V. Pierce, by letter at the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, absolutely without charge or fee. Each letter is opened in strict privacy, read as secretly confidential and to preserve the seal of all unbelieved ailments, all replies are sent in plain envelopes, bearing no single word of printed matter.

BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1899.

BALLTOWN.

C. B. Pate went to Jolly Station Sunday.
T. N. Brickey went to Hardinsburg, Sunday.
Wm. Frank, Jolly Station, was here Sunday.
The recent warm weather has caused vegetation to develop rapidly.
Dr. Howard is doing considerable improvement on his dwelling house.
Owen Whitcomb spent Sunday evening pleasantly with Miss Ida Frank.
Little May Perkins spent last week with her grand parents on Beechfork.
Mr. Weymouth, the drummer, made his regular monthly visit to C. B. Pate's last week.
Mrs. Sarah Frank who has returned in Oklahoma for some time has returned home. Her brother, John Tait, came in also.
Lane Woods, a former resident of this place and also of Cloverport, died at his home near Glendane, Saturday. His many friends and relatives here are in sympathy with his bereaved family.
Alex Hall and Miss Fanny Bowman were united in marriage Sunday, at the home of the bride's father, Sam Bowman, on Tar Creek. Rev. Fred Weatherford officiating. The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony for their home on the Pike. Congratulations.
The death angel visited our midst Sunday morning at 3 o'clock and claimed for its victim, Mrs. Augusta Tabeling. She is widely known in this community and was loved by all her acquaintances. She is a sister of Alfred and Annie Oelze, Cloverport, and has several children who bitterly weep over the sad departure of their dearest and best friend.
But he values their children.
Weep no more.
For your father will meet her
On yonder shore.

GUSTON.

Miss Mary Paul is visiting Mrs. E. L. Smith.
The Hon. Gus W. Richardson was at home last Saturday to the election.
Mrs. W. K. Brown, of Frankfort, is visiting her father, Hon. Gus W. Richardson.
R. M. Jolly visited our town last Friday. Bob is a whole-some fellow and a bundle from away back.
Mrs. Margaret Hardaway and granddaughter, Fannie, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Kate Childs.
Miss Eva Carrigan writes from Atlanta, Ga., that the convention was a success, and that is a hospitable southern city.
Misses Emily and Ermine Munford go to Louisville this week to attend the Southern Baptist Convention, and May music festival.
Misses Ellen Munford, L. B. McGlothlin, Caro Sears Parrish, Irvington and Ellen Herndon, Louisville, spent Sunday with Miss Maud A. Gibson.
About five years ago Mrs. Charles Helt lost a very handsome gold ring and the other day while refilling a pillow, she found the ring snugly hid away in one corner of the pillow slip.
The Rev. Louis Adams preached here last Sunday to a good audience. Mr. Adams will be the regular minister at this place and will preach every 4th Sunday. All are invited to attend services.
Charles Miller who has lived here for several years, has purchased a farm of Walker Board and moved to it last Monday. We are sorry to give Mr. and Mrs. Miller up as they are splendid citizens.

CASTORIA.
The Rev. J. H. Smith
Baptist
Pastor

GLENDANE.

Mrs. Storms is very ill with rheumatism.
Milton Coke was in the neighborhood Saturday.
Miss Bonnie Moorman visited at Irvington last week.
Jesse Moorman, Jr. was in Hardinsburg last Sunday.
Mrs. Joe Manning went to Hardinsburg Monday morning.
Dr. and Mrs. Dempster spent Sunday at Jesse A. Moorman's.
Miss Roxie Moore visited her parents near McDaniel Saturday.
Miss Elizabeth Owen was quite ill last week, but is convalescing.
Cy Miller, of Kirk, was calling on one of Glendane's fair ones Sunday.
Some of the boys have an unusual hobby trying to get up a little circus money.
Tom Musselman, Irvington, is on the branch to-day doing his first work as a driver.
Several of our music loving friends will attend the May Festival in Louisville next week.
Interest in the new Sunday school at Glendane is good and hopes are entertained of a successful school.
Miss Elizabeth A. Owen after a protracted stay here, has returned to Leitchfield, accompanied by Miss Hattie Owen.
Miss Annie Fisher is at Irvington and will visit in Louisville and other places remaining away several weeks.
The Miss Greens want to sell their house and lot in Glendane and move to Louisville. The property is desirable.
Jim Deane, Tom Owen and Miss Edna Roberts and Miss Hattie Moorman attended the lecture at Jolly Station night.
This section lost one of its best men in the death of Mr. George Carville last Sunday. He had long been a cancer sufferer.
Clara Fentress wedded a Miss Wilkerson, of Grayson county, last Sunday. Mr. Fentress is an energetic farmer and owns the farm of the late Sam Rhodes.
Nothing has ever been produced to equal or compare with TABLER'S RUCKER'S PILLS FOR CURE of a curative and healing application for Piles, Hemorrhoids, blind and bleeding, external or internal, the itching and bleeding of the Rectum. The relief is immediate and cures infallible. Price 50 cts. in bottle, tubes 75 cts.—A. R. Fisher.

STEPHENSPOET

Weather—Hot.
Spring is here in all its greenness.
W. B. Blain, of Patesville, was in town Sunday.
Mrs. E. C. Ferry returned Friday from Louisville.
Dr. D. White, of Tobinsport, was in town Friday.
Dr. Rafferty, of Cloverport, is with us a few hours each day for practice.
The Smith House has been overflowing with traveling men for the last two weeks.
Prof. Mark L. Kilbourne still lingers and we curious ones are made to wonder.
Mrs. W. B. Lennin and children, of Hardinsburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith.
Mrs. Godfrey Havel, of Hardinsburg, is with her parents for a two week's visit.
Oscar Hall and Miss Mary Ryan, of Cloverport, were guests at the Smith House, Sunday.
We are glad to know that only a very few refused to sign the petition presented by our ladies.
Miss K. Kate Allen, of Chennault, is expected today (Wednesday) to spend a week with Mrs. Frank C. Ferry.
Choir practice at G. W. Faye's Saturday evening. All are requested to meet promptly at 7 p. m. and have a good practice.
A. J. Perriego went to Cloverport Sunday for a few days' stay with his brother, and then will return to his home in Evansville.
What about the man who "whoops and

wools" indulged the petition business and then for policy run, so to speak, to keep from having anything to do with it? What think you will be the reward for, what he said or what he did?
For Sale—Bicycles, in good condition. Double tube tires, wood rims, gear 65, handle bars, rubber handle bar, weight 24 lbs. An excellent machine—\$12.50. All kinds of repairs. C. C. Lewis, Stephenson.
We have located in our midst Dr. G. E. Silver, of Greenboro, who has his single out, and we hear, says he has come to stay. He will be found at his office, which is in the old post office on Main street.
The ladies of the town are to be congratulated for their successful effort in raising of a petition asking the board of trustees to not grant saloon license for the following year, which petition was presented and requested granted the 25th. So after September, thanks to those noble women, we will have a dry town for at least twelve months.
The good citizens who refused to sign the "liquor petition" because whiskey was not bothering them, probably didn't think of their sons, grandsons, sons-in-law and friends, who might in the future be tempted, cursed and ruined, by the vice traffic, and for those reasons let our hands and hearts awake, and under all circumstances, be sure to sign the petition that shows in our midst, and polities and demoralizes our community, and on the other hand some say the "no saloon clause" will not stop the drunk drinkers, and the man who is getting old in the sin of drink. But after doing what we can, we leave to his jug and his God for that. But are boys and young men, who are young in their appetites and those who have never been tempted. What of them? Shall we keep the grog shop in our midst to allure them and ruin their lives. Because the removal of it will do the older ones no good. Nay, verily, their race is almost run. In our boys we would save. Then we have older men that have lost the manhood and strength to say no, that only drink when tempted, what of them? God be praised for this move, and may this be only a beginning of better things for the uplifting and salvation of our boys and young men.

When Weak, Wary and Wasted

From Kidney Disease, why not try Foley's Kidney Cure, a guaranteed medicine.—A. R. Fisher, Cloverport; E. A. Witt, Hardinsburg.

BEWLEVVILLE.

Henry Drury went to Louisville Saturday night.
Miss Florence Cain is the guest of relatives at Irvington.
T. J. Jolly was at Sample, Friday, visiting a sick brother.
The school census shows ninety-six pupils in this district.
All the Republicans in the neck of the woods are for Clinton Pratt for governor.
Good folks, don't forget to attend to that local option call at Webster, May 20th.
Harriet Cain was at Irvington several days recently visiting Edwin and Clara Jolly.
Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Miller, of Hardinsburg, were guests of Mrs. Piggott Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Board, of Hardinsburg, came up to attend the burial of Mr. Basham.
Mrs. Richard Witt, formerly of Cloverport, was in our town Saturday, visiting Mrs. Cal Basham.
In speaking of the good old days of our forefathers, don't forget that they didn't have telephones.
Spring fever is affecting a large number of people. If anybody knows a remedy please let us have it.
Mr. Bader, a gentleman from Owensboro, recently spent several days at Dr. Bearin's. We suppose he was "dear" hunting.
We wonder what part Mrs. R. M. Jolly and Miss Eva Carrigan took in the race question that the papers say "bobbled up" in the convention at Atlanta.
Lieutenant Frank Hardaway, on his way to Manila, mailed letters to his wife, Malia, Port Said, and Colombo. These

are all the news from "whoops and



of grain can be threshed in a day (and threshed perfectly and separated thoroughly, without waste) by you with a Nichols-Shepard separator. And the straw will be handled easily, without the slightest trouble and almost no litter, if you use the Nichols-Shepard Separator. This takes the place and does the work of an independent stacker. It oscillates automatically, is easily swung to right angles with the separator to carry the straw to other stack or barn. This stacker has been demonstrated by thorough and practical tests in the field to be the handiest, most efficient swinging stacker ever attached to a thrasher. Like every other feature of the

it is strongly and durably made, without any intricate parts to break or get out of order. All the advantages of the Nichols-Shepard Separator are yours. Write for our free catalogue. Write for it.
NICHOLS & SHEPARD CO., Battle Creek, Mich.
Branch House at NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE.
with full stock of machines and extras.

GOOD NEWS!

We hereby announce to the people of Harned and vicinity that we have opened up a

GENERAL LINE OF MERCHANDISE at this place. The stock is new, fresh and what is better, is cheap. We want your trade and will give you better values for your money than you ever before received.

THE NEW STORE,
MEYER & DAVIS,
HARNED KY.

WE WANT YOUR WOOL AND WILL GIVE YOU TOP PRICE FOR IT.

are interesting and full of tender regard for the loved ones at home.

SKILLMAN.

Quite a number of ladies, friends and neighbors, were invited to spend the day, Tuesday, April 25, with Mrs. Clara Drury and help her new carpet rag. They assembled early and worked well. Miss Clara Jordan won the prize for sewing most balls. The dinner was perfect, and was served by Mrs. Drury and Miss Lena in their best style. Every body seemed in good spirits and, doubtless, there were many happy returns of the pleasant day.
There are several residences in our vicinity well worthy of a place among the illustrations of lovely homes in the Ladies' Home Journal. In the last of these we find "Fair Lawn" the home of the Hon. Chas. Blanford. With such a beautiful home and no lack of the best things of this political horizon grow dim for those at last are but transient and always accompanied with bickerings and envy, but the pleasures of a quiet, beautiful rural home are pure and lasting.

Flattering reports reach me of the success of the Farmers' Institute at Irvington. Editor Goodnight was there representing the News and made an interesting address on the relation of our country paper to the farming community, showing it to be the closest and friendliest. He also said that the columns of the News were always open to the farmer. His address was well received and he will tell you what everybody else said.

Speaking after the fore of the school census, the robin and the wren, and the blue jay have come; the season of sweet-scented buds and blossoms, with its delightful, hazy, dreamy atmosphere, is here, and, though we have to toil long days through for that which sustains our mortal existence, still we may with glad snappy verses fairly revel in beauty and joyousness.

GOLDEN ROD.

Remarkable Rescue.
Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her that she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found immediate benefit from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Short & Haynes' Drug Store. Large bottles 50 cents per \$1.00.

FORDSVILLE.

Mrs. Clarence Smith is still confined to her bed.
There are still several cases of measles in town.
We are glad to learn Mrs. Bettie Woodson is convalescing.
Miss Fannie Groves went to Owensboro, Saturday, shopping.
There will be several new residences started in our town shortly.
Mrs. Sam Glines went to Hartford Saturday, to attend her aunt's funeral.
Quite a number of our good citizens took in the Masonic excursion Sunday.
Mr. Bob Orider and children went to Glendane Saturday to visit her parents.
There'll be a circus in town Saturday. A large crowd is expected here on that day.
Mrs. Ike Adair, accompanied by her daughter, Marian, and sister, Jennie, are visiting friends and relatives in Harnesville.
The Baptist parsonage will be completed within a short time, and will be occupied by our pastor, Rev. L. J. Ratcliff.
Mrs. R. A. Shellman, from Stephenson, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Sargent, returned home last week.
Mrs. Truman died of consumption, and was interred in Fordsville cemetery. Funeral conducted by Brother Ratcliff, at the Baptist church.

In Constipation HERBINE affords a natural, beautiful remedy, acting promptly. A few small doses will usually be found to regulate the bowels, and induce a healthy action. Price 50 cents.—A. R. Fisher.

INGLESIDE FARM

Between Irvington and Webster.

"A Well Bred Horse Will Show it in His Work and Miles."



BEN HUR!

Denmark saddle and harness horse, Black, 16 1/2 hands high, will stand at my stable at the low fee of \$5.00 to insure a living colt.

He was sired by Royal Denmark 534, dam Shelby Girl by Shelby Chief, he by Alexander's Abdalla, he by W. M. Rhysdick's Hambletonian. 2d dam Hinton's Eclipse, by American Eclipse.

Amount of season given to the best colt. Care taken to prevent accidents, but not responsible should any occur.

Mares pastured at \$1.50 per month.

Farmers, this is the chance of your life to introduce an absolutely new strain of the grand old Denmark blood into your horse stock.

JOE BLAND, who is one of the best horsemen in the Ohio Valley says:
"BEN HUR IS THE BEST NATURAL GAITED SADDLE HORSE I EVER RODE IN MY LIFE."

You all know Joe Bland and his word is worth taking.

E. F. CARTER.

IRVINGTON, KY.

What Was on the Postal Card.

Elkton, Ky., April 22, '99.

Mr. G. N. Lyddan,
Irvington, Ky.,

Dear Sir and Friend:

As you now own Squirrel Denmark 515 thought you would be interested in the sale of his colts. The Bay Gelding we saw in Pembroke and your rode has been sold twice since you were here the last time, for a fancy price, to a party from San Francisco, Cal. The large Bay, 16 hand mare of Williams also for \$200. Also the Brown Saddle Gelding of Boxley and three others will be sold ere ten days. No better size of fine size and finished five gaited saddle horses ever trod Kentucky's soil than Squirrel Denmark.

W. A. DICKINSON.

NO PAIN! NO DREAD!

I extract teeth without pain, using all the latest anaesthetics for

PAINLESS OPERATIONS.

A CROWN OF GOLD



Skilfully fixed to the root or body of the tooth will last a lifetime. I make a specialty of BRIDGE and difficult work.

Prices Very Reasonable.

New Dental Parlors at Mitchell Hotel Now Open.

T. D. RENFROW,

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WHITE'S CREAM VERNIFUGE!
For 20 Years Has Led all Worm Remedies.
Sold by all DRUGGISTS.
Prepared by JAMES F. BALLARD, St. Louis.
For sale by A. R. Fisher, Cloverport, Ky.

TONS OF GRAVEL

Buried These Lusty Negroes Out of Sight

But They Escaped With But Slight Injuries.

What was a most miraculous escape from death occurred Thursday at the "Tram" gravel pit below Harpersville. Two negroes, Milton Veeve, of Henderson, and Anderson Stephens, of Louisville, were carelessly undermining a huge bank of gravel. Suddenly the mass fell in on them but they were quickly extricated by their comrades. They sustained comparatively slight injuries, although they were painfully bruised and sprained. They were brought to this city and were attended to by Dr. Simons.

Many a fair young child, whose pailor has puzzled the mother, until she suspected rightly her darling was troubled with worms, has been cured by the use of a cream with a few drops of WHITES CREAM VERMIFUGE. Price 25c—A. R. Fisher.

PAYS NATURE'S DEBT.

Cal Basham Succumbs After an Hour's Illness.

The Bewleville neighborhood and practically the entire county was shocked at the sudden death of Cal Basham last Friday night.

The circumstances preceding his death were peculiarly saddening. On Friday night a heavy hail storm passed in the neighborhood of Mr. Basham's home, and when it was over he went out into the yard and picked up some of the stones.

When he came in he seated himself in a chair and complained of feeling cold. Blankets were procured and wrapped about him. After an hour's illness he died. He was buried early Sunday morning at the Willis Hardin cemetery. He was one of the best known men in the Bewleville section and the sad event has cast a gloom over the whole neighborhood.

DEATH OF MRS. TABELING.

Recalls a Tragic Accident to Her Husband.

Mrs. Augusta Taveling, a sister of Amiel and Alfred Ogden, of this city, died Sunday, April 30th, at her home near Tar Fork. Her husband was killed fifteen years ago by being caught between a tree and a wagon heavily loaded with staves. The hub of the vehicle practically cut him in two. Mrs. Taveling was compelled to raise a large family, which she did by hard work and economy.

DEWEY AND SCHLEY.

Patriotic John Russelman Names His Twins.

John Russelman, Irvington, is a patriotic, every inch of him and claims that red, white and blue blood runs through his veins. On April 28th, his fifty-sixth birthday, his wife presented him with twins, a boy and a girl, whom he promptly named Dewey and Schley.

WILL GO DRY.

Stephensport Women Have Knocked Out the Saloon.

The ladies of Stephensport put on their war paint recently and went on the trail of John Barleycorn, determined to have his scalp. They got up a petition against the granting of saloon licenses in the city and succeeded. The town will go dry in September. Cloverport is now the only place in the county where liquor can be legally sold.

COLONEL HASWELL.

Goes With the Governor to Chickamauga Battlefield.

Col. John P. Haswell, Hardinsburg, as commander of the party, accompanied the party on the special train Tuesday morning for Chickamauga battlefield where Kentucky's monument to her Federal and Confederate dead is to be dedicated. The monument will be unveiled by Miss Christine Bradley, the governor's daughter. It is the only one of the kind in the country. About 250 citizens went on the trip.

Took Water.

Commander O. T. Sargent's beautiful naptha launch, the "Marguerite" took water Saturday. She was launched without trouble. On Sunday morning Commander Skilman, accompanied by Judge James Skilman and Leon McGavock boarded the Marguerite and set off on a cruise to Brandenburg. They are expected home Wednesday.

Birthday Party.

The little Miss Mattinglys, Bertha and Anna May, tendered their friends a birthday party Saturday. The feature was a peanut bust. Margaret Moorman won first prize a bougie figure, and Mary Jolner got the bougie girl, a "little nigger in a peanut shell."

A Sad Misison.

Joe Harpole, machinist at the shop, was summoned by telegram, Tuesday morning, to his home at Bowling Green, on account of his father, whose life is despaired of.

Will Locate Here.

Dr. F. F. Hafferty, New Albany, Ind., will locate in this city and will practice medicine with his brother, Dr. B. T. Hafferty.

Services at Victoria.

Father Rye, of this city, will say mass at Victoria next Thursday. A full attendance is desired.

THE THINGS WE'LL SEE

When the Little Red Wagons Come to Town.

Circus Day Will be a Great One For "Hey Rub!"

The little boys and girls and the big ones, too, are eagerly awaiting the coming of the circus. Friday, May 5, is a day that is pointed around town on bill boards, dead walls, and in show windows in big red letters. It is, in fact a red letter day, a red lettered day.

Already the little boys and girls are preparing to run away with the circus and if the old gentleman gets stuck on the beautiful circus ladies, we will see a scene like the one in this picture.



The old lady will have to make frantic efforts to keep them at home.

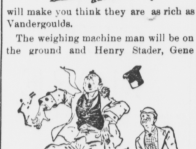
The boys in town and on the farm are saving their money to obtain admission to the show. They want to see the elephant in all her glory. The elephant in this show is a she elephant and she has a baby.



The boys will feed the elephant with peanuts and they will treat themselves and their best girls to soda pop, striped candy, toy balloons and the way they will make the daddy dollars fly.



Of course us grown folks are tired of seeing circuses and we don't want to go. When the little red wagons appear, however, we will see that the children will want to see the clown and the Shetland ponies, and we will have to go with them to see that the little monkeys in the strong iron cage do not eat them up.



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the other heavy weights in the city will try to knock ball columba out of the machine. They are all strong men and will give astonishing feats of strength. The man in this picture is John Phelon. What they will do to him on the circus grounds will be a pity.

Of course everybody who has a dime to spend will go to the side show and see the snake charmer. He's a time honored institution and what he does with the serpents would give the M other Eve the shivers.



A circus without a living skeleton, a tattooed man and a snake charmer wouldn't be a circus.

The little boy and his sister are already playing circus and almost every day you can see the little boy doing acrobatics on the limb of an apple tree just like a real circus man.



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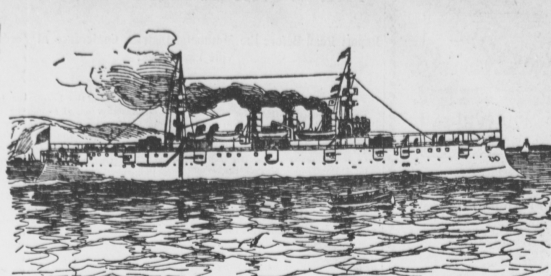
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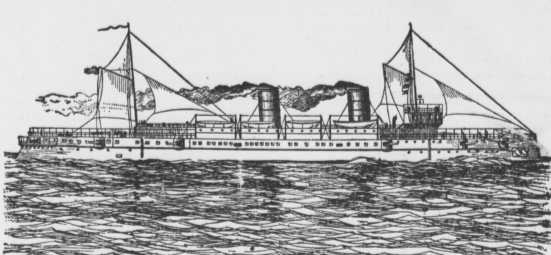
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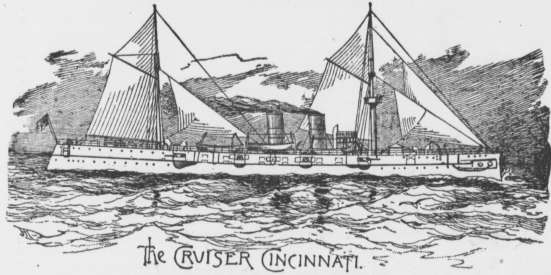
THESE WAR VESSELS WERE MAKING HISTORY A YEAR AGO TO-DAY



THE CRUISER COLUMBIA



CRUISER MINNEAPOLIS



THE CRUISER CINCINNATI

where he had been to sell his tobacco. The price received was \$12.00 for the best and \$7.30 and \$8.40 for the other grades.

Mrs. Bowmer, who has been visiting her daughter in Virginia, returned home last Thursday.

Frank Mercer who is with Robinson Norton & Co., Louisville, was at home last Saturday.

There will be a district Sunday-school Convention held at West View school, May 27th.

Rev. A. H. Davis left Monday for Lewisport where he goes to assist in a protracted meeting.

We can sell you groceries 10 per cent cheaper than any other house in town. Try us—Eclipse Grocery Co.

Mr. Winebrimer came down from Louisville last week and will be here for some time handling tobacco.

Dr. J. T. Baker reports that the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bigham died last week of cerebral spinal meningitis.

Owen Cunningham and his son, Master James Owen, were visiting last week over at his father's old home on the river.

Miss Mattie Bigham is assisting Mrs. Sutton this season in the millinery business and they are putting out some very stylish work.

B. F. Beard left last week for Old Point Comfort on a vacation of six weeks. He was accompanied by his son Percy M. Beard.

It is reported that Meyer & Davis will open up a big stock of goods at Harrod in the store house formerly occupied by Charley Payal.

The murder trial which is set for hearing here next week in the Circuit Court will bring a hundred witnesses from Ohio county.

John P. Howell, Jr., left Monday for Louisville where he joined Gov. Bradley and staff for Chickamauga. He will return about Saturday.

If you want a few fresh vegetables for court we can furnish them. We also carry a big line of canned goods—Eclipse Grocery Co.

Charley Cashman writes back to his friends here that he is much pleased with the city of Denver and that he has already had a position which offer him.

Master Robert Shelman, the two year old son of Jailer Gus Shelman, is the only namesake of the Republican vice president in the city. Hobart is a sprightly chap and like all other young Americans, the way is open to him to achieve distinction.

Dr. T. D. Renfrow, Cloverport's new dentist, who is a graduate of the Philadelphia college of dentistry, will be at Harrod during our court week. His work has been highly complimented by his patrons in this city and he will undoubtedly do well in the county capital.

Next week there will be several prominent lawyers here. Two gentlemen, who take a fresh rank in the profession

and who will be here are Col. Bennett, H. Young, of Louisville, and Capt. Bill Ellis, of Owensboro. Mr. Young comes to practice an important civil suit and Mr. Ellis has been engaged in a big murder case.

S. A. Pate, supervisor of roads, is having a big lot of work done on the hill on Stephensport road just out of town. They are putting the road and making a good permanent job of it. The funds to pay for the work will come out of the Harrod tax district. Mr. Pate thinks he will make a satisfactory job out of it when it is completed.

Miss Ellen Drane, the daughter of Henry C. Drane, Constantine, was brought here last week and tried for larceny. She was taken to Anchorage by Sheriff Burton. Miss Drane has been in the asylum once before and came home, but her mind soon became unbalanced again and she had to be returned. She is about twenty-two years of age.

Mrs. Robert Board who has now been residing in Texas for about ten years has four bright children and she expects soon to bring them here and visit her old friends. Her husband owns several hundred acres of the finest land in southern Texas having opened it several years ago. The writer that she may bring her whole family, Mrs. Board was Miss Ellen Foote, who spent the most of her girlhood in Harrod.

Dr. Hart built a new fence around his yard last week.

The boys have again resumed their games of base ball.

Miss Mary Hafferty is quite sick. It is thought she is taking the measles.

Miss Julia Rhodes was on the sick list last week. Also Miss Martha Cannon.

W. T. Cannon sold a lot of timber last week to Springer & Wilson for \$2,000.

Bill Stokes still remains very poorly with his gripe bordering on pneumonia.

Miss T. Woolsey has so far recovered her health as to again resume her teaching.

Miss Minnie Rhodes entertained several of her friends from McDaniels last Sunday.

Uesle Frankie Rhodes was very much indisposed this week with his cold complaint.

Miss Rosa Hafferty is teaching a very interesting school in the Sand Knob vicinity.

We are sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Bob Rhodes, of K. K. Hope her recovery may be soon.

Miss Maggie Rhodes, of Irvington, is spending several days with the family of Mr. Cliff Mattingly.

Rev. Wm. Gabe came out from Harrod Sunday morning to administer the Last Sacrament to Jimmie Mattingly at St. Anthony's.

Old Mr. Frank Clark was buried at

Long Lick church last Sunday. He had been sick for several months with cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. Grinnell, I wish to thank you for your words of approval in regard to "Easter Lilies" and for your kind encouragement to me.

Jimmie Mattingly, who accidentally shot himself last Monday, is getting along exceedingly well, being now able to move himself about and sit up some.

Miss Lena Mattingly is still suffering with her side. The doctors say a part of the rib that was broken will have to be amputated before a cure can be accomplished.

Dr. R. H. McMillin and wife have been renovating and beautifying their picturesque little home with new papering and carpets, which make it look very fresh and Springlike.

Edwaine Year Howell With Cheats. County Courtship. Free constitution. Doctor. No. 26. J. F. C. G. Hall, Druggists and Chemists.

Miss Lillie Clarkson has returned home.

Born to the wife of Will Hall, the 27th.

H. Meyer and John Meador, Jr., went to Louisville Sunday.

Dr. Strother and H. Meyer were in Brandenburg last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller visited relatives at Celia Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Strother and sister spent Sunday with Miss Edith and Sadie Hanbler, near Blue Ball.

Guy Meador made a flying trip to Louisville last Thursday to purchase material for his shop.

W. A. Smith, candidate for Legislature in Meade county, carried this precinct by two majorities.

Gabe Meador has returned home from Buffalo school and has accepted a position with H. M. Y. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Duck Spriggle, of Custer, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kate Martin, Wednesday.

John Hicks, who is attending school at Louisville, came down Thursday and remained until the primary Saturday.

Joseph Medley, of Louisville, is here circulating among his friends in the interest of the Champion Binder Machine Co.

Chas. A. Moorman left for Elizabethtown Saturday where he will read law with one of Elizabethtown's most prominent lawyers.

Meador James Harrell, of Cecilia, and Harro Jenkins, of Glendale, were here Sunday the guests of Miss Daisy Meador and Mrs. Harry Miller.

Miss Roberta Miller who is teaching school in Howe Valley came home Saturday and spent Sunday. She had with her as her guest, Miss Iva Woodwright.

Miss Bettie Clarkson and Annie Lett Woolfolk, of Brandenburg, came out Saturday and remained over Sunday with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Clarkson.

HARDINSBURG FANS

Organize a Strong Base Ball Team at the Capital.

The Hardinsburg base ball club has been organized with the following players: Jeff Dillon, Ed Dillon, Chas. D. Hook, Dally Beall, Bernard Johnson, Lawie Kincheloe, James Smith, Joe Hall and Philip McGary. They have good grounds and are ready to take on any amateur club within a zone. If you want to play ball address Amos M. Kincheloe, Secretary of Hardinsburg Base Ball Club, Hardinsburg, Ky.

SWAPPED IDEAS.

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but has the reputation of being one of the very best farmers in the Pennsylv and certainly grows crops of wheat that are large enough to justify his being an authority on the subject.

Clover land is his favorite and he begins to prepare his seed bed early, breaking the land in July or August. After considerable experimenting he has come to the conclusion that he gets better results by using 100 pounds of fertilizer to the acre. If the land is cloddy or runs together he uses a disc harrow. He runs a drag over the surface and harrows it until it is perfectly mellow to a depth of three inches. He thinks that breaking the land five inches is deep enough. He uses a smoothing harrow with small, sharp teeth when he harrows in spring, although he has done the latter without success.

Sheep for Profit.

John R. Wimp made a splendid talk on this subject. He owns sixty ewes and has fifty-year-old lambs, and believes he makes more off of sheep for the money invested than on any other thing.

Sheep require lots of territory and a constant change of pasture. The ewes should not be highly fed, but with lambs it must be just the reverse. The latter will learn to eat bran in four weeks, and forty of them will eat a half barrel of meal and bran daily. The Southdown lamb is the favorite for mutton.

They can be learned to eat by fastening them in a barn and by putting the bran in their mouths. They should be fed right up to sell time. His lambs averaged forty pounds from May 14 to June 1st.

Sheep at a pasture closer than cattle, and they require good judgment in pasturing. Fences at eighteen cents will pay for the keep of the ewe, and the lamb at five cents per pound will be all profit.

Feeding Cattle for Profit.

This subject was ably handled by Thomas Lydden. He is a young man and is one that the Breckenridge county should be proud of as he is one of the most successful cattle feeders in the county.

He said he commenced last season with high grade cattle. He opened his silo in October and fed the animals with bran, ensilage, cut fodder, corn, rye, and clover. With this class of feed several of his steers gained from 100 to 150 pounds in 57 days. He then began to feed cotton seed meal giving the animals, with their other feed about 2 pounds daily, and on December 20th increased it to five pounds and fed this ration until February. He succeeded in adding 320 pounds, on an average to each animal.

He believes ensilage to be a fine cattle feed and on carry twice as many animals as he could without it. He says the nutrient value of cotton seed meal is about twice as great as corn.

Values of Certain Foods.

The Kentucky Cockey Club poster was never put to a better use than at that meeting. Dr. F. W. Foote used it for the purpose of printing a table describing the nutrient and material value of certain food products and with his permission we will give it in detail next week.

Other Talks.

Mr. Cunningham, of Concordia, a well known fruit grower and distiller, talked on apple culture. He favored Ben Davis, though he has been successful with Rome beauties. Pruning trees when young on this lawn, had a tendency to retard the growth of trees and unwise. He fertilizes his trees and sprays them. His solution for spraying is 4 pounds of sulphur, 4 pounds of lime and one ounce of Paris green to 45 or 50 gallons of water.

Ed Goodnight of the BRECKENRIDGE News, spoke on the relation of the newspaper man to the farmer and touched the use of the News' columns to the farming interests of the county.

Will Mattingly Cloverport.

Before the close of the meeting it was announced that the next meeting will be held at Cloverport sometime in August.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Miss Mollie Gough is greeting her friends at Suter's.

Miss Pearl Ferrig went to Louisville this morning on this lane, had a tendency to retard the growth of trees and unwise. He fertilizes his trees and sprays them. His solution for spraying is 4 pounds of sulphur, 4 pounds of lime and one ounce of Paris green to 45 or 50 gallons of water.

Miss Maggie Carter, and Richard Wimp, Irvington, were guests of Miss Alice Mattingly, Sunday.

He's a Happy Daddy.

Edmund Ogden is the happiest man in the city, "cause why? A beautiful eight and a half pound boy brightens his home. It came Saturday night and is named Allyn Ogden.

Celebrated Dewey Day.

May 1st, Dewey Day, was appropriately observed in this city. "Old Glory" was flown to the top of the flag staff from Suter's store and fluttered proudly all day long.

Will Be at Webster.

The Mattingly Photograph gallery will be at Webster, May 4th and will stay 10 days—W. J. Mattingly, proprietor.

HOME CURE FOR BLOOD POISON.

Beware of the Doctors' Patchwork; You Can Cure Yourself at Home.

This vile poison, and only attempt to heal up the outward appearance of the disease—the sores and eruptions. This they do by driving the poison into the system, and endeavor to keep it shut in with their constant doses of potash and mercury. The mouth and throat and other delicate parts then break out into sores, and the light is continued indefinitely, the drugs doing the system more damage than the disease itself.

Mr. H. I. Myers, 100 Mulberry St., Newark, N. J., says: "I had spent a hundred dollars with the doctors, when I realized that they could do me no good. I had large spots all over my body, and these soon broke out into running sores, and I endured all the suffering which this vile disease produces. I decided to try S. S. S. as a last resort, and was soon greatly improved. I followed closely your 'Directions for Self-Treatment,' and the large spots on my chest began to grow paler and smaller, and before long disappeared entirely. I was soon cured perfectly and my skin has been as clear as glass ever since. I cured myself at home, after the doctors had failed completely. It is a valuable time thrown away to expect the doctors to cure Contagious Blood Poison, for the disease is beyond their skill. Swift Specific."

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—acts in an entirely different way from potash and mercury—it forces the poison out of the system and gets rid of it entirely. Hence it cures the disease, while other remedies only shut the poison in where it lurks forever, constantly undermining the constitution. Our system of private home treatment places a cure within the reach of all. We give all necessary medical advice, free of charge, and the management of publicity. Write for full information to Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.